IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Conf. 3856 Gérard VALAT et al.

Application No. 10/562,433 Group 3728

Filed December 28, 2005 Examiner Sharon PRANGE

FOOTWEAR ARTICLE WITH LIMITED ROTATIONAL MOVEMENT AND DAMPED END OF COURSE

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents June 10, 2010 P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the final Official Action mailed December 10, 2009, for which the period for response has been extended for second and third months, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.